

**Catler®**

# CORDFREE KETTLE

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Instructions  
for use



KE 4012

# CORDFREE KETTLE

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# Congratulations

on the purchase of your new Cordfree Kettle KE 4012.

## CATLER RECOMMENDS SAFETY FIRST

We at Catler are very safety conscious. We design and manufacture consumer products with the safety of you, our valued customer, foremost in mind. In addition, we ask that you exercise a degree of care when using any electrical appliance and adhere to the following precautions:

### IMPORTANT SAFETYGUARDS FOR YOUR CORDFREE KETTLE 4012

#### READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USE AND SAVE FOR FUTURE REFERENCE.

- Carefully read all instructions before operating the appliance for the first time and save for future reference.
- Remove and safely discard any packaging material and promotional labels before using the kettle for the first time.
- To eliminate a choking hazard for young children, remove and safely discard the protective cover fitted to the power plug of this appliance.
- This kettle has been designed specifically for the purpose of boiling drinking quality water only. Under no circumstances should this product be used to boil any other liquids or foodstuffs. Use only for intended use. Do not use outdoors.
- Do not place the kettle near the edge of a bench or table during operation. Ensure that the surface is level, clean and free of water and other substances.
- Do not operate the kettle on a sink drain board.
- Do not place the kettle on or near a hot gas burner, electric element or where it could touch a heated oven.
- Keep the kettle clear of wall, curtains and other heat or steam sensitive materials. Minimum 20cm distance.
- Always ensure the kettle is properly assembled before use. Follow the instructions provided in this book.
- The kettle must be used only with the power base supplied. Do not use the supplied base for other types of kettles.
- The kettle is not intended to be operated by means of an external timer or separate remote control system.
- Do not touch hot surfaces. Use the handle for lifting and carrying the kettle.
- Do not place anything on top of the lid.
- Always ensure the kettle switch is in the OFF position, then turn the power off at the power outlet and remove the plug from the power outlet before attempting to move the appliance, when the appliance is not in use and before cleaning and storing.
- Use caution when pouring water from the kettle, as boiling water and steam will scald. Do not pour water too quickly.
- To protect against electric shock, do not immerse the kettle, power base, power cord or power plug in water or allow moisture to come in contact with these parts.
- Do not remove the kettle from the power base during operation. Ensure the kettle has switched to 'off' position after the water has boiled before removing the kettle from the power base.
- Do not move the kettle while it is switched on.
- Do not open the lid during operation.
- Do not overfill the kettle past the maximum water level mark. If the kettle is overfilled, boiling water may be ejected.
- Keep the kettle clean. Follow the cleaning instructions provided in this book.

## IMPORTANT SAFEGUARD FOR ALL ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES

- This appliance is for household use only. Do not use this appliance for anything other than its intended use. Do not use in moving vehicles or boats. Do not use outdoors. Misuse may cause injury.
- Fully unwind power cord before use.
- Do not let power cord hang over the edge of a bench or table, touch hot surfaces or become knotted.
- The appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.
- Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
- It is recommended to regularly inspect the appliance. To avoid a hazard, do not use the appliance if the power cord, power plug or appliance becomes damaged in any way. Return the entire appliance to the nearest authorised service centre for examination and/or repair.
- Any maintenance other than cleaning should be performed at an authorised service centre.
- The installation of a residual current device (safety switch is recommended to provide additional safety protection when using electrical appliances. It is advisable that a safety switch with a rated residual operating current not exceeding 30mA be installed in the electrical circuit supplying the appliance. See your electrician for professional advice
- For safety reason it is recommended you plug your appliance directly into its own electrical outlet on a dedicated circuit separate from other appliances. If the electrical circuit is overloaded with other appliances, your appliance may not function properly. Using in conjunction with a power strip or extension cord is not recommended.



DO NOT WASH OR IMMERSE THE KETTLE, POWER BASE, POWER CORD OR POWER PLUG IN WATER OR OTHER LIQUID.



DO NOT OPERATE THE KETTLE ON AN INCLINED SURFACE. DO NOT MOVE THE KETTLE WHILE IT IS SWITCHED ON.

## KNOW YOUR CORDFREE KETTLE KE 4012



## OPERATING YOUR CORDFREE KETTLE KE 4012

### Before first use

Remove any promotional material attached to your kettle. It is recommended that before the first use the kettle is filled to the maximum level, boiled and water discarded. Your kettle will only operate when positioned on the power base with the power switch in the On position. The kettle will automatically switch off once the water has boiled.

### Operation of your kettle

1. To fill the kettle, remove it from the power base and open the lid by pressing the lid release button. Fill with the desired amount of water. Always fill the kettle between the minimum and maximum marks on the water window. Too little water will result in the kettle switching off before the water has boiled.
2. Ensure that the lid is locked firmly into place. Place the kettle firmly onto the power base. Plug the power cord into 230 V power point and switch On.
3. Press the power switch to the On position. The power On light and the water gauge will illuminate.

*Always fill the kettle between the minimum (Min) and the maximum (Max) marks on the exterior of the kettle. Too little water will result in the kettle switching "Off" before the water has boiled. Filling above the maximum mark on the exterior of the kettle may result in boiling water splashing from the kettle.*

#### NOTE

*This kettle must only be used with the power base supplied. Use caution when pouring water from your kettle, as boiling water will scald. Do not pour the water too quickly.*

#### NOTE

The kettle will automatically switch Off once the water has boiled. Lift the kettle from the power base and pour the water. Take care to hold the kettle level, especially when filled to the maximum level. To re-boil it may be necessary to wait for a few seconds to allow the control to reset.

Do not run or use the kettle when empty. Misuse of the appliance may cause its life.

The kettle may be stored on its power base when not in use. The power point should be switched off and the appliance plug unplugged from the power when not in use.



THIS APPLIANCE IS DESIGNED FOR BOILING OF DRINKING QUALITY WATER ONLY. NEVER USE TO HEAT OR BOIL ANY OTHER LIQUIDS OR FOODSTUFFS. THE LID SHOULD ALWAYS BE FIRMLY IN PLACE AND LOCKED INTO THE CLOSED POSITION BEFORE USE.



DO NOT PRESS THE LID RELEASE BUTTON ON THE HANDLE TO OPEN THE LID DURING AND AFTER OPERATION. THIS MAY RESULT IN BOILING WATER SPLASHING FROM THE KETTLE. POUR OUT ALL THE HOT WATER FROM THE KETTLE BEFORE OPENING THE LID TO REFILL.



### **Safety Boil Dry Protection**

The kettle is fitted with a safety device, which protects against overheating should the appliance be operated with insufficient water. If this occurs the kettle will stop heating. Switch Off at the power point and allow kettle to cool before refilling. The safety device will automatically reset when the kettle has cooled down.

For additional safety your kettle is fitted with an additional thermal cut out. In the event of overheating, the kettle will automatically shut down to prevent further damage. Should this occur, take your kettle to an authorised Catler Service Centre.

## CARE AND CLEANING

Always switch off at the power outlet, and then unplug the appliance from the power outlet before cleaning.

### Removable filter

The KE 4012 features a removable mesh filter to filter out scale deposits for cleaner water. To remove the scale deposits remove the filter by opening the lid and lifting up and out of the kettle. The filter can be cleaned by running under hot water and rubbing with a cleaning cloth or brush. To replace filter, simply slide the filter down into the slot behind the spout of the kettle.

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*The filter could become damaged with time. Please check regularly and replace if found damaged.*

#### NOTE

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*The concealed element in the base of the kettle is made from high quality stainless steel. Any brown stains appearing are the result of mineral deposits and are not rust.*

#### NOTE

### Removal of mineral deposits

Mineral deposits in tap water may cause the kettle interior and water gauge to discolour over time. This may be removed by using a proprietary kettle descaler which is available from most leading supermarkets, department stores and hardware stores.

Alternatively:

1. Fill the kettle until 2/3 full with 1 part vinegar and 2 parts water. Boil and allow standing overnight.
2. Empty the solution from the kettle. Fill the kettle with clean water, bring to boil and discard the water. Repeat and the kettle will be ready for use.

### To clean the exterior

The outside of the kettle may be wiped over with a damp cloth and polished with a soft dry cloth.

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*Do not use chemical, steel wool, or abrasive cleaners to clean the outside of the kettle.*

#### NOTE

### Storage

Ensure the kettle is switched off, clean and dry before storing. Ensure the lid is closed and locked securely into place. Wrap the power cord around the cord storage under the power base. Stand the kettle upright on the power base. Do not store anything on top.



NEITHER KETTLE NOR ANY OF ITS PART AND ACCESSORIES SPLASH BY WATER OR OTHER LIQUID.  
DO NOT WASH OR IMMERSE THE KETTLE, POWER BASE, POWER CORD OR POWER PLUG IN WATER OR OTHER LIQUID.

## INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION REGARDING THE DISPOSAL OF USED PACKAGING MATERIALS

Dispose of packaging material at a public waste disposal site.

## DISPOSAL OF USED ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC APPLIANCES



The meaning of the symbol on the product, its accessory or packaging indicates that this product shall not be treated as household waste. Please, dispose of this product at your applicable collection point for the recycling of electrical & electronic equipment waste. Alternatively in some states of the European Union or other European states you may return your products to your local retailer when buying an equivalent new product. The correct disposal of this product will help save valuable natural resources and help in preventing the potential negative impact on the environment and human health, which could be caused as a result of improper liquidation of waste. Please ask your local authorities or the nearest waste collection centre for further details. The improper disposal of this type of waste may fall subject to national regulations for fines.

### For business entities in the European Union

If you wish to dispose of an electrical or electronic device, request the necessary information from your seller or supplier.

### Disposal in other countries outside the European Union

If you wish to dispose of this product, request the necessary information about the correct disposal method from local government departments or from your seller.



This product meets all the basic EU regulation requirements that relate to it.

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